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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: PELTZ, STUART *et al.*
APPLICATION NO.: Not yet assigned
FILED: Concurrently Herewith
FOR: **A SUBFAMILY OF RNA HELICASES
WHICH ARE MODULATORS OF THE
FIDELITY OF TRANSLATION
TERMINATION AND USES THEREOF**

Preliminary Amendment

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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